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SUBJ: COMPARISON OF MINIC'S SPEECHES TO 29TH AND 30TH GA

1. SUMMARY: MINIC SPEECHES TO 29TH AND 30TH UNGA'S  
OFFER OPPORTUNITY TO MEASURE CONCRETELY WHERE YUGOSLAVS  
HAVE AND HAVE NOT MODERATED STANCE ON MAJOR MULTILATERAL  
ISSUES OVER PAST YEAR. IT IS CLEAR WE STILL HAVE MAJOR  
PROBLEMS--LESS HAS CHANGED THAN HAS REMAINED THE  
SAME. BUT THE IMPROVEMENTS ARE WORTH NOTING. END SUMMARY.

2. AT 29TH UNGA MINIC STRUCK OUT AT SUPPRESSION OF  
FREEDOM AND FOREIGN INTERVENTION IN INDOCHINA, CHILE  
AND CYPRUS. HIS LACK OF EMPHASIS ON INDOCHINA IN  
THIS YEAR'S SPEECH AND HIS SATISFACTION OVER CSCE  
CAN DOUBTLESS BE ATTRIBUTED TO FAVORABLE DEVELOPMENT  
DURING YEAR FROM GOY VIEWPOINT. BUT THAT CANNOT  
EXPLAIN FACT THAT THIS YEAR HE LIMITED HIMSELF TO  
EXPRESSION OF SUPPORT FOR RESISTANCE TO FASCIST JUNTA IN  
CHILE AND CALL FOR OBSERVANCE OF UN RESOLUTION AS MEANS  
OF RESTORING INDEPENDENCE AND PEACE IN CYPRUS. HIS  
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FORMULATIONS ON THE MIDDLE EAST ARE SIMILAR IN BOTH

SPEECHES, EXCEPT THAT THIS YEAR HE CAUTIOUSLY WELCOMES INTERIM SINAI ACCORD AS POSSIBLE STEP TOWARD OVERALL SOLUTION.

3. GOY POSITIONS ON SOUTHERN AFRICA, KOREA, LATIN AMERICA AND UN AS PRIMARY FORUM FOR SOLVING INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS ARE CONSISTENT IN BOTH SPEECHES. HOWEVER, THIS YEAR MINIC NOTED NUMBER OF IMPORTANT UN-SPONSORED INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES WHICH HAVE BEEN HELD DURING LAST YEAR AND POSITIVE CONTRIBUTIONS NON-ALIGNED MADE TO THEM. HE ALSO NOTED THAT NON-ALIGNED DO NOT WANT CONFRONTATION OR TO IMPOSE THEIR WILL ON OTHERS. IN DISCUSSION OF LIMA MEETING MINIC OBSERVED THAT KEY WORLD PROBLEMS CANNOT BE SOLVED IN CLOSED GROUPS. THEMES OF INTERDEPENDENCE AND COOPERATION ARE APPARENT ELSEWHERE IN SPEECH.

4. IN BOTH SPEECHES MINIC CHARGES THAT IMPERIALISTIC, COLONIALIST AND NEO-COLONIALIST FORCES ARE RESPONSIBLE

FOR CREATING DANGEROUS TENSIONS IN WORLD. HOWEVER, AT 30TH GA HE ADDED HEGEMONISTIC PRETENSIONS, A CATCH-PHRASE FOR SOVIET IMPERIALISM, TO NEGATIVE POLITICAL FORCES WHICH ARE SUPPOSEDLY BECOMING STRONGER IN SOME SPHERES.

5. MINIC STRUCK CRITICAL NOTE ON NPT, WHICH HE CHARGED WITH BECOMING AN INSTRUMENT TO PROMOTE NWS MONOPOLY IN PRODUCTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. HE ALSO CALLED FOR WORLD CONFERENCE OR SPECIAL UN SESSION ON DISARMAMENT.

6. MINIC'S POSITIVE REFERENCES TO BOTH SPECIAL SESSION--EXCEPTIONALLY MEANINGFUL AND POLITICALLY-RECONCILED FRAMEWORK AND BASIS FOR FURTHER ACTIVITY--IN THIS YEAR'S SPEECH CONTRAST WITH TONE OF PESSIMISM IN HIS 29TH GA ADDRESS RIGHT AFTER 6TH SPECIAL SESSION.

7. WHILE LAST YEAR MINIC CALLED ON GA TO WORK HARDER ON PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS, THIS YEAR'S SPEECH ENDS ON UPBEAT. ALTHOUGH TASKS FACING UN ARE CONFIDENTIAL

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FORMIDABLE, "(IT) IS TODAY ON THE PROPER ROAD, AND... BY JOINT EFFORTS SOLUTIONS CAN BE FOUND WHICH ARE IN THE BROADEST INTEREST OF THE WORLD COMMUNITY".

8. IN SUM, WE BELIEVE MINIC'S SPEECH THIS YEAR IS MORE OPTIMISTIC, LESS COMBATIVE AND PROVOCATIVE TO US THAN LAST YEAR'S. THIS CAN DOUBTLESS BE ATTRIBUTED IN PART TO SUCCESSFUL VISITS HERE BY PRESIDENT AND

SECRETARY, TO SUCCESSFUL US DIPLOMATIC EFFORTS IN ME  
AND ELSEWHERE, AND TO MINIC'S BASICALLY POSITIVE RESPONSE  
TO SECRETARY'S SPEECHES TO UN.  
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